DISTRICT REPORTS.

- 8. Markets how supplied.
- Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn
 of barvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.
- Prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, areas affected by scarcity, number of people under reliaf, and state of food stocks.
- 11. Public health.
- 12. Bemarks as to the condition of agricultural stock; failure of pasturage, of fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week.

Current.

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)

1.4.40

7.19 Quantity per rupee by 14.44 the standard seer of

Rangoon rice (2nd sort)

7.47) 80 tolas.

Agricultural operations.—Hields are being ploughed.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS

- Market is well supplied.
- 9. Progress of agricultural operations.—Ploughing and manuring operations are reported to be in progress in several parts of the district. In parts of Anckal Taluk, Vaisakhi paddy is being harvested. It is reported that gingelly and haraka was sown in parts of Hoskote Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Paddy and sugar-cane crops are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Anckal Taluk—Paddy 4 to 8 annas.

- 10. The prospect of the season is fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to the cooly classes.
- 11. Except for plague in certain villages of Anekal Taluk and Hoskote Taluk and the appearance of small-pox in certain parts of Hoskote Taluk, public health is generally good.
- 12. Foot and mouth disease is reported among cattle in four villages of Charmapatna. Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR

- 8: Market is well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed and manured in the taluks of Bowringpet, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Bagopalli, Goribiduur, Brinivaspur and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk. Til is being sown in parts of Kolar and Mahur Taluks; sajje and samé are being sown in some parts of the Kolar Taluk.

Crops harvested and their probable outturn.—Kolar Taluk—paddy 4 to 12 annas; Malur Taluk—paddy 4 to 12 annas; Chintamani Taluk—jola 8 to 12 annas;

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane and til in parts of the district are reported to be generally in good condition.

- 10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of the food grains continue to be high, Labour is available at present to the cooly classes.
- 11. But for a few cases of plague and small-pox in parts of Malur Taluk, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are healthy. Pasture and fodder are available at present,

TUMKUR.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Crops sown.—Tadagani, black and green gram and jola in Chiknayakanhalli Taluk; sosi ragi and jola in Sira Taluk; til in Tiptur Taluk; sugar-cane in Kunigal Taluk.
 - Crops harvested and their outturn.—Tumkur Taluk—sugar-cane 6 annas; Maddagui Taluk—paddy; Sira Taluk—paddy 4 to 8 annas; Gubbi Taluk—paddy; Kunigal Taluk—sugar-cane 6 annas; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—paddy 12 annas.
 - Standing crops.—Sugar-came, paddy, tadagani, black and green gram, jola, irrigated ragi and baje in parts of the district are reported to be generally in fair condition.
- 10. Prospects of the season are generally fair. Food stuffs are generally available. More rain is wanted all over the district.
- 11. Except for small-pox in a few villages of the Koratagere Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.
- 12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are reported to be generally available at present.

MYSORE.

- B. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed in parts of the Mandya, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks.
 - Grops sown.—Jola in parts of Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, T.-Naraipur, Malvalli, Krishnarajpete and Nagamangala Taluks; til in parts of Chamrajnagar, Seringapatam, Heggaddevankote, T.-Naraipur, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete Taluks; ragi in parts of Heggaddevankote and Krishnarajpete Taluks; groundnuts in parts of T.-Naraipur Taluk; togari in parts of T.-Naraipur and Malvalli Taluks; green and black grams in wet lands in parts of Mandya Taluk and horse gram in parts of T.-Naraipur Taluk.
 - Standing crops.—Ragi, castor, togari, avare, til, jola sugar-cane, horse gram, cotton, mulberry, paddy, groundnut and raintil are reported to be in a fair condition.

 More rain is wanted in Nagamangaia and Seringapatam Taluks for the young crops.

Crops harvested-Nagamangala Taluk-Sugar-cane.

- 10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available.
- 11. Except for plague in parts of Mysore, Hunsur and Heggaddevankote Taluks and small-pox in parts of the Nanjangud Taluk, public health is generally good.
- 12. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available. Temporary wells in tank beds are reported to have been sunk in places where difficulty for water is felt in the Krishnarajpete Taluk.

HASSAN.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Standing crops.—Ker paddy and sugar-cane in the Hassan Taluk; sugar-cane and mungar crops in the Channarayapatna Taluk; sugar-cane in the Belur Taluk; paddy and sugar-cane in the Arsikere Taluk; sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in fair condition.
 - Crops harvested.—Kode paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; sugar-cane in the Channa-rayapatna Taluk are being harvested.
 - Crops sown.—Paddy in the Manjarabad Taluk; paddy and ragi in the Channarayapatua Taluk and Alur Sub-Taluk; til, jolam and other mungar crops in the Arsikere Taluk; cholum and mungar crops in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are being sown.
 - Prospects of the season are generally good.
 - 11. Public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being ploughed and manured in all the taluks. Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in the taluks of Shimoga, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Nagar and Kumsi Sub-Taluk and Vaisakhi paddy in Sagar and Nagar Taluks are reported to be in good condition.
- 10. Prospects of the season are good and food stuffs are available.
- 11. Except for plague in parts of Shikarpur Taluk and small-pox in a few villages of the Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks, public health is generally good.
- 12. Cattle are generally healthy, but for Rinderpest in a few villages of Shikarpur Shimoga and Nagar Taluks. Water and fodder are available.

KADUR.

- Market is well supplied.
- 9. Agricultural operations.—Lands are being prepared for sowing purposes in Kadur, Tarikere, Koppa, Mudgere Taluks and in Narasimharajpur Sub-Taluk and also in. Sringeri Jahgir.
 - Crops sown.—Gingelly and jola in Kadur; paddy in Koppa and Mudgere Taluks, are being sown. Transplanting of paddy is also going on in Narasimharajpar Sub-Taluk.
 - Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—sugar-cane and coffee; Kadur—sugar-cane; Koppa—kode paddy, areca, sugar-cane; Mudgere Taluk—kode paddy, sugar-cane and chillies. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.
 - Crops harvested and their outturn.—Chikmagalur Taluk—kode paddy; Kadur Taluk—sugar-cane, 8 to 12 appas.
 - 10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.
- 11. Except for small-pox in Kuruvangi village of Chikmagaiur Taluk and in Ravur village of Narasimharajpur Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.
 - 12. Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

- 8. Market is well supplied.
- 9. Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, paddy, giddaragi (under tank and kepile wells). Mungari jola and til are reported to be in a fair condition.

Seeds sown .- Mungari jola was sown in parts of Challakere Taluk during the week.

- Crops harvested and their outturn.—Challakere Taluk—paddy (Vaisakhi) 8 to 12 annas; Hiriyur Taluk—paddy, 8 annas; Molakalmuru Taluk—paddy, 12 annas; Jagalur Taluk—cotton, 6 annas.
- Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.
- ·11. Public health is generally good.
- 12. Cattle are generally healthy, except for the prevalence of "Doddaroga" in a few villages of the Davangere Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

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